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Dear Sir:

APPELLANT'S REQUEST FOR ORAL HEARING

Appellant hereby requests an Oral Hearing in this Appeal. A Credit Card Authorization for the Hearing Fee is attached.

Also the Board is requested to remand the case to the Examiner to decide whether he wishes the Board to consider Kitahata 5,008,574 in deciding this appeal which was not relied upon in the rejections appealed, but is referred to on Page 10 of his "Answer" in the last paragraph and seems to raise an issue not addressed in the appealed rejection.

